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Letter of Protest
Docket No. 2020-125-E

Date: * 2020-01-04

Protestant Information:

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1. What is your connection or interest in this case? * For example, are you a customer of the Company that is the subject of this pending proceeding? (This section must be completed. Attach additional information if necessary.)

I am a customer of Dominion Energy. Not only is the "middle of a 100-year pandemic" the absolute WRONG AND INSENSITIVE TIME for a utility company to request a rate increase, but also please consider the following facts: We 'long-time' customers/ratepayers of SCEG/Dominion Energy never got hardly a dime refunded back to us for all those years of pre-paying for that failed nuclear plant construction, and DOMINION'S substituted settlement offer of "lower rates" was UNFAIR because it was applied to ALL customers including NEW CUSTOMERS, who never paid a cent for those failed nuclear plants! ... Whereas, we long-time customers/ratepayers only got reimbursed a measly fraction of what we paid into that failed nuclear plant project, even though our ... (CONTINUED IN SEC. 2 BELOW) ...

2. Please give a concise statement of your protest. * (This section must be completed. Attach additional information if necessary.)

... SC governor Henry McMaster vehemently promised: "I will make sure that the long-time customers will get back every dime that they paid over those several years for the failed nuclear plant project."! BUT WE NEVER DID, and neither did we receive Dominion's 'falsely-advertised-on-tv' promised \$1000 check to help cover our lost payments for the failed nuclear plant(s)! I 'did the math' and totaled it all up, and my family paid over \$1,600.00 over those several years for that failed nuclear plant project, and we will NEVER see that money refunded back to us (even with 'calculating-in' those slightly lower rates that Dominion was able to convince the SC Public Service Commission, and the SC state legislature, would be a fair 'compensation' for all those years of customers' nuclear plant 'rate increase payments' ... and keep in mind that those Dominion settlement 'lower rates' are unfairly being passed along to brand new customers, which is not fair to us long-term customers)! ... And, to add 'insult to injury', Dominion Energy is now already asking for a rate increase ... (CONTINUED IN SEC. 3 BELOW) ...

3. Do you wish to make an appearance at a hearing in this proceeding, if scheduled, and offer sworn testimony? *

... with the SC Public Service Commission! Please keep in mind that Dominion Energy has NOT even had to outlay any large amounts of cash or resources due to any major ice storms or hurricanes here in SC, as of yet (fortunately)! One thing is for sure ... Dominion Energy is exhibiting 'corporate greed' with this rate increase request, and they are showing us that their shareholders' profits are all that matters to them! So please, SC Public Service Commission, DO THE RIGHT THING and 'vote down' this untimely and unfair rate increase request by Dominion Energy! (BTW, I don't plan to appear in person, as of yet!)

Signature Required: Michael B. Rickenbaker